

SC Annual School Report Card Summary

Hannah-Pamplico Elementary/Middle School

Florence 2

Grades: K-8 **Enrollment: 818**

Principal: Debbie M. Carter

Superintendent: Robert E. Sullivan Jr. Board Chair: Mr. Raleigh O. Ward, Jr.

PERFORMANCE

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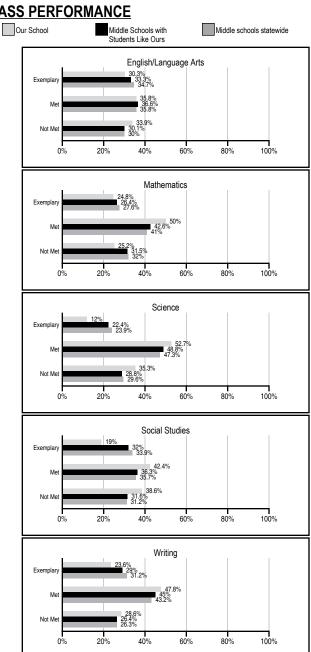
| YEAR | ABSOLUTE RATING | GROWTH RATING | PALMETTO GOLD AND SILVER AWARD | | ND SILVER AWARD ESEA/FEDERAL ACCOUNTABILITY RATING SY | |
|------|-----------------|---------------|--------------------------------|-----------------|---|--------------------------|
| | | | General Performance | Closing the Gap | ESEA Grade | Accountability Indicator |
| 2013 | Average | Good | TBD | TBD | В | N/A |
| 2012 | Average | Average | Silver | N/A | С | N/A |
| 2011 | Below Average | Below Average | Silver | N/A | Not Met | N/A |

ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF MIDDLE SCHOOLS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS*

| EXCELLENT | GOOD | AVERAGE | BELOW AVERAGE | AT-RISK |
|-----------|------|---------|---------------|---------|
| 3 | 11 | 43 | 2 | 0 |

^{*} Ratings are calculated with data available by 01/15/2014. Schools with Students Like Ours are Middle Schools with Poverty Indices of no more than 5% above or below the index for this school.

PASS PERFORMANCE



NAEP PERFORMANCE*

* Performance reported for SC and nation, data not available at school level.

| READING – GRADE 8 (2011) | | | | | |
|--|--|----|----|----|---|
| South Carolina | | 28 | 45 | 25 | 2 |
| Nation | | 25 | 43 | 29 | 3 |
| % Below Basic % Basic, Proficient, and Advanced ■ Below Basic □ Basic □ Proficient ■ Advanced | | | | | |
| MATH – GRADE 8 (2011) | | | | | |
| South Carolina | | 30 | 38 | 25 | 7 |
| Nation | | 28 | 39 | 26 | 8 |
| % Below Basic % Basic, Proficient, and Advanced Below Basic Proficient Advanced | | | | | |
| SCIENCE - GRADE 8 (2011) | | | | | |
| South Carolina | | 39 | 32 | 27 | 1 |
| | | 36 | 32 | 29 | 2 |

| END OF COURSE TESTS - 2013 | | | | | |
|---------------------------------------|-------------------|---|--|--|--|
| % of students scoring 70 or above on: | Our Middle School | Middle Schools with Students Like Ours | | | |
| Algebra 1/Math for the Technologies 2 | 100.0 | 98.1 | | | |
| English 1 | 100.0 | 97.6 | | | |
| Physical Science | N/A | N/A | | | |
| US History and the Constitution | N/A | N/A | | | |
| All Subjects | 100.0 | 97.8 | | | |

SC PERFORMANCE VISION

By 2020 all students will graduate with the knowledge and skills necessary to compete successfully in the global economy, participate in a democratic society and contribute positively as members of families and communities.

Hannah-Pamplico Elementary/Middle School [Florence SCHOOL PROFILE

| | Our School | Change from Last Year | Middle Schools with Students Like Ours | Median Middle School |
|--|------------|-----------------------|--|----------------------------|
| Students (n=818) | | | | |
| Students enrolled in high school credit courses (grades 7 & 8) | 17.5% | Up from 13.1% | 25.1% | 24.6% |
| Retention rate | 3.0% | Up from 2.4% | 0.8% | 0.6% |
| Attendance rate | 95.4% | Down from 95.9% | 95.5% | 95.9% |
| Served by gifted and talented program | 4.4% | N/A | 18.4% | 18.5% |
| With disabilities | 19.0% | N/A | 13.7% | 13.0% |
| Older than usual for grade | 5.6% | N/A | 6.1% | 4.8% |
| Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses | 4.6% | Up from 1.5% | 0.7% | 0.6% |
| Annual dropout rate | 0.0% | No Change | 0.0% | 0.0% |
| Teachers (n=48) | | | | |
| Teachers with advanced degrees | 58.3% | Down from 63.8% | 58.9% | 61.5% |
| Continuing contract teachers | 79.2% | Down from 95.7% | 78.2% | 77.2% |
| Teachers returning from previous year | 90.0% | Down from 91.8% | 86.0% | 85.9% |
| Teacher attendance rate | 94.5% | Up from 92.6% | 94.6% | 94.9% |
| Average teacher salary* | \$42,788 | Down 1.5% | \$47,142 | \$47,313 |
| Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers | 24.4% | Up from 21.2% | 0.5% | 2.0% |
| Professional development days/teacher | 7.6 days | No Change | 10.6 days | 10.1 days |
| School | | | | |
| Principal's years at school | 7.0 | Up from 6.0 | 4.5 | 4.0 |
| Student-teacher ratio in core subjects | 22.6 to 1 | Up from 22.4 to 1 | 21.8 to 1 | 22.1 to 1 |
| Prime instructional time | 89.5% | Up from 88.0% | 89.0% | 89.6% |
| Opportunities in the arts | Fair | Up from Poor | Good | Good |
| SACS accreditation | Yes | No Change | Yes | Yes |
| Parents attending conferences | 100.0% | Up from 99.5% | 98.9% | 99.0% |
| Character development program | Average | No Change | Good | Good |
| Dollars spent per pupil** | \$5,356 | Up 5.4% | \$7,106 | \$7,239 |
| Percent of expenditures for instruction** | 69.0% | Down from 69.2% | 63.0% | 63.0% |
| Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries** | 67.0% | Down from 67.4% | 61.0% | 61.0% |
| ESEA composite index score | 83.4 | Up from 78.6 | 83.2 | 83.5 |

^{*} Length of contract = 185+ days.

EVALUATION RESULTS

| | Teachers | Students* | Parents* |
|--|----------|-----------|----------|
| Number of surveys returned | 21 | 78 | 41 |
| Percent satisfied with learning environment | 95.2% | 76.9% | 78.1% |
| Percent satisfied with social and physical environment | 95% | 80% | 70.8% |
| Percent satisfied with school-home relations | 85.7% | 82% | 71.4% |

^{*}Only students at the highest middle school grade level at this school and their parents were included.

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REPORT OF PRINCIPAL AND SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

During 2012-13, students, staff, and parents at Hannah-Pamplico Elementary Middle focused on student achievement, professional development, and parental involvement.

HPEM received the Palmetto Silver Award for General Performance for its 2012 Report Card ratings: the elementary grades maintained an Absolute rating of Average and a Growth rating of Good and the middle grades improved to Average in both the Absolute and Growth ratings. A preliminary comparison of HPEM's 2011-2012 PASS data to 2012-2013 PASS data shows consistency in the elementary grades. Third and fourth grades maintained previous performance levels with minimal improvement in ELA and math. There was a slight drop in science scores in both grades, but there was a marked improvement in social studies, with an increase in the number of students achieving Met in fourth grade and a 10% increase in the number achieving Exemplary in grade 3. In fifth grade, there was minimal improvement in the number of students meeting proficiency in science. The middle grades as a whole showed improvement over last year. Sixth grade showed improvement in all areas tested, with at least a15% improvement in the students meeting proficiency in ELA, math, and science. Students who participated in single-gender classes in sixth grade outperformed their co-ed counterparts in all subjects. In seventh grade, the number meeting standard in science increased by 7% and in social studies by 4% with slight increases in those scoring Exemplary. Eighth grade showed significant growth across all tested areas in number of students meeting proficiency, with a 17% increase in ELA, a 26% increase in math, a 12% increase in science, and a 15% increase in social studies.

This year HPEM continued to focus on improving student achievement levels using inquiry-based instruction, Thinking Maps, Measures of Academic Progress testing; one-to-one computing using iPods/iPads; single-gender grouping; Soar to Success, Classworks, student goal-setting, and SRA. Professional development focused on data analysis, Common Core Standards implementation, and technology integration. The sixth-eighth grade ELA teachers participated in the first year of a writing grant through the Upstate Writing Project and the National Writing Project.

Our faculty, students, and parents have made significant accomplishments this year. Faculty members continued their educations and attained advanced degrees. Four eighth graders were named SC Junior Scholars and an eighth grader won the Pee Dee Regional Spelling Bee at Francis Marion University and participated in the National Spelling Bee in Washington, D.C. Our eighth graders participated in Advanced Placement courses and B-Teams sports. All students participated in our fine arts program, including holiday productions and a Broadway, Jr., production of Annie, Jr. Some of our students participated in Special Olympics. Our elementary students continued to break their own records by passing Accelerated Reader book tests. Students and staff participated in community service activities that benefited the American Heart Association and the Humane Society. Parents, grandparents, and community members actively participated in Grandparents' Day, Field Day, Month of the Young Adolescent, Pastries for Parents, etc.

Debbie M. Carter and H. Legrande Richardson, Principals/ Greg Poston, SIC President

^{**} Prior year audited financial data available.